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## APPROPRIATION IS MADE

## THE COUNCIL ALLOWS FOR POWER

AND HEATING PLANT.

The Additional Sum Required Was \$60,000—A Request for an Appropriation for Voting Machines.

The County Council made the appropriation of \$60,000 that the commissioners had asked for to complete the power and heating plant and has lived in Indiana all his life. She was born near Lawrenceburg, Ky. She leaves four children and one sister. The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon and the burial will be in the Anderson cemetery, east of Irvington.

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## HARVEY FOR CHAIRMAN

HE IS INDORSED BY THE REPUBLICAN STATE COMMITTEE.

And Will Preside Over the Deliberations of the State Convention Next Week.

## GOOD FEELING APPARENT

COMMITTEES SAY THE REPUBLICANS ARE ENTHUSIASTIC.

The Call for the Primaries Is Issued—Political Gossip of General Interest.

The most important item of business disposed of by the Republican state committee at its meeting yesterday afternoon was the endorsement of J. Frank Hanly as chairman of the Republican state convention in the following resolution: "Resolved, That the state central committee unanimously recommends to the committee on rules and permanent organization that J. Frank Hanly, of Lafayette, be selected as permanent chairman of the Republican state convention to be held at Indianapolis on April 25 and 26, 1900."

The committee met at its headquarters at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon, and was in session about two hours. All of the districts were represented except the Third and Tenth. District Chairman Fred Sims, of the Ninth district, was unable to come, but he was represented by J. O. Ricketts, of Frankfort. The committee all reported that much interest was being shown in their districts in the approaching state convention. They predicted that there would be the largest attendance at this convention of any the Republicans have yet held in the State. The question of the convention chairmanship was discussed in its various phases. All of the names that have been suggested for the place were mentioned. It was known that Senator Fairbanks did not care for the honor, and that Senator Beveridge would probably not be able to attend the convention on account of his wife's illness. The matter finally narrowed down to J. Frank Hanly and Governor Mount. When the ballot was finally taken the eleven votes were cast for Hanly. It is known, however, that the Ninth and Sixth districts were for Governor Mount until it was found there was too much opposition against him.

## CHAIRMAN HANLY TALKS

After the meeting Chairman Hanly said: "The committee was unanimous in its choice, and was not against anybody for the place. The feeling was as harmonious as it was unanimous in the selection of the Hon. J. Frank Hanly. The committee felt that it would only be a fitting compliment to a good, worthy, hardworking Republican. He has been notified of the selection, and has signified his willingness to act as the chairman of the convention. The selection of Mr. Hanly meets with general approval, and it seems to be a happy solution of the much-controverted and discussed chairmanship question."

At the meeting yesterday afternoon the state committee might have to make to the committee on resolutions, which will have charge of the platform. It was also suggested that the matter be discussed generally by the Republicans as they come in the first part of next week to attend the convention. The question of the town and city elections was gone over, and the reports from the various town and city committees were satisfactory. A great many of the details of arranging for the convention, such as seating, decorating, etc., were discussed, and the committee was generally satisfied with the plans.

## FEELING OVER THE STATE.

Republican Committeemen Well Satisfied with Conditions.

The Republican committeemen who were in the city yesterday, in discussing the situation in their various districts, reported the best of feeling among the Republicans. They say the work of organization is going on satisfactorily and that in a great many of the counties the work of taking the six months' poll has begun, and in some of the counties it has been completed. The committeemen tell of an unusual amount of Republican enthusiasm in their districts, especially in the public meetings that have been held. The crowds, they say, have been larger and more earnest than ever before known so early in the campaign, and the indications are that the party will be unusually active at the coming election.

The committee reports an earnest and united effort on the part of the Republicans of the State to give a hearty and enthusiastic endorsement to the McKinley administration. It is felt that when the nominations are all made and the party is lined up against the opposition, the Indiana will be found standing firmly in the Republican column.

George Cunningham, the First district chairman, says his district is in the best possible condition and is in better condition for a Republican victory than it has ever been. He asserts that Representative Hemeway will certainly be re-elected. The Democrats, he says, are in a somewhat weakened position, and he is much worried over their chances of bringing out a man who will make a strong race for Governor. He thinks that Mayor Akin, of Evansville, will probably be the nominee.

Nat J. Hill, chairman of the Second district, says the Republicans are well organized in that district and he thinks there is a chance of electing a congressman. The convention will be held at Vincennes two days, when national delegates will also be selected. Mr. Hill says the race for the congressional nomination in the Second district has become quite spirited. There are three men in the race.

Miles K. Moffett, of the Sixth district, asserts that the district proposes to elect James S. Watson and then help to elect McKinley to the presidential chair. The district is divided on the question of selecting a candidate for Governor. Mr. Moffett says that Griffiths, Durbin, Posey and Hogue will get votes from the Sixth district.

Elmer Crockett, chairman of the Thirteenth district, says the district is solid for James S. Watson. He says the district has no second choice, because it is felt there will be no occasion for one. Crockett points out that while Mr. Dodge has not gone out for the State a great deal in the interests of his candidacy, he is well known.

High Glenn Keegan, of Fort Wayne, who came to represent District Chairman Leonard, of the Twelfth district, says that district will divide its vote between Griffiths, Durbin and Hogue. Mr. Keegan thinks that Robert Hanna, the Republican congressional nominee, will be elected on account of his popularity with Republicans and Democrats.

## CALL FOR PRIMARIES

To Select Delegates to the Republican State Convention.

County Chairman Akin yesterday issued the call for the primaries to select delegates to the Republican state convention, as follows:

"Pursuant to a call issued by the chairman of the Republican state committee,

the Republicans of Marion county will meet in primary conventions in their respective townships on Wednesday, April 19, 1900, to select delegates to the state convention, which is called for June 19, 1900, at Indianapolis, Wednesday and Thursday, April 25-26, 1900. The convention will assemble at 2 o'clock p. m. on Wednesday, April 25, for transaction of all other business except the selection of candidates. The convention will assemble at 9 o'clock a. m. on Thursday, April 26, and nominate candidates for the following state offices, viz: Governor, Lieutenant governor, Secretary of state, Superintendent of public instruction, One Supreme Court judge for First district, One Supreme Court judge for Fourth district, Treasurer of state, Attorney general, and one Representative to Congress. The delegates to the Republican national convention, to be held in Philadelphia, June 19, 1900, and four alternates at large to said convention, will be elected at the meeting places and the name of the chairman for each primary, and the number of delegates each ward and township are entitled to:

1. Elmer house, Hillside avenue, Amos P. Hines, 8

2. Engine house, corner Ash and Sixteenth streets, W. J. McGuire, 11

3. Livery stable, Sixteenth street, between Illinois and Meridian streets, C. L. Hare, 13

4. Monroe's Hall, Crane, complete lot, eighth and Northwestern avenue, Isaac Pugh, 8

5. Corner Washington and Lincoln streets, William Davis, 5

6. Cyclorama building, Market street, Albert Leach, 10

7. Headquarters fire department, Massachusetts avenue and New York, Daniel Linde, 8

8. Southeast corner Michigan and State streets, E. D. Logsdon, 7

9. Abram Harris, corner Indiana and Georgia streets, 7

10. Mozart Hall, South Delaware street, 7

11. Bretz Hall, corner Illinois and Georgia streets, 7

12. Engine house, corner Morris and Harding streets, 7

13. Leonard, 915 Virginia avenue, Robert Metzger, 4

14. Morton, 915 Virginia avenue, Robert Metzger, 4

15. Lyra Hall, corner Kansas and South Meridian streets, Daniel Hill, 4

Center township, southeast No. 10, 1

Center township, northeast No. 10, 1

Decatur township, northeast No. 10, 1

Warren township, southeast No. 10, 1

Lawrence township, southeast No. 10, 1

Perry township, William E. Hunter, 1

Southport, Ind., Edgar C. Hardesty, 1

Pike township, New Augusta, Henry Pollard, 1

Wayne township, Henry L. Harding, 5

Washington township, Henry L. Harding, 5

Broad Ripple, William B. Bosson, 2

The meetings in the east ward of Indianapolis, Center northeast, Warren and Wayne townships will be called to order at 8 o'clock p. m., the other townships at 2 o'clock p. m.

"LEWIS G. AKIN, Chairman.

"CHARLES N. ELLIOTT, Secretary."

## They Named Their State.

In the Fifteenth ward about fifty Republican voters got together last night, and named L. T. Nash, Daniel Wicker, Fred Gaul and Fred Henschel as the slate for which they wish to vote at the primaries.

Monday night, but they did not make any arrangements made by the ward committee would be unable to vote for them or make their names, having been refused the privilege of voting at the primaries by ballot.

## Mr. Wilson Cannot Accept.

Charles E. Wilson, secretary to Governor Mount, says he cannot accept the position at the head of the press bureau for the Republican campaign as he has other plans. It was suggested that Mr. Wilson take the place of Mr. Henschel, who has been at the head of the bureau.

## Jesse Overstreet Here.

Representative Overstreet, who was called from Washington on account of the illness of his father, is in the city a short time yesterday, expects to come to the city on Monday to remain until after the convention if his father's condition is improved.

## PLATFORM AND CHAIRMAN.

Randolph Republicans Oppose Ready-Made and Postprandial Methods.

To the Editor of the Indianapolis Journal: A number of Republicans of this city, including delegates to the State convention, held a meeting looking to political organization for the coming campaign. Questions of local importance were discussed, and incidentally the matter of a State platform and a chairman for the State convention were alluded to. The bare mention of the fact that certain Indianapolis papers have from time to time been announcing that "the State central committee had decided" was about to decide or would decide that a certain distinguished Republican would be the permanent chairman of the Republican State convention, and that the committee had about concluded, or was at work upon a platform, brought out a general discussion from those present, which was entirely unfriendly to any first-made chairman postprandial platform. Those present did not doubt the ability of those who were reported to be making chairman and platform, but they thought it ought to be conceded that the convention itself should not only actually name the chairman, but that its membership should, as well, make the personnel of the committee and resolutions. It was the general impression of those present that, although a larger part in number of the delegates to the State convention would come from the out counties and might bring with them some of the smell of the farm, yet they believed that when they all got together, about as good a platform could be made by representatives of the ninety-two counties as could be made by the self-constituted platform committee, and that by the time the delegates would get through with the selection of a permanent chairman for the convention it would not be regarded as an endorsement of Porto Rico or anti-Porto Rico.

The meeting and discussion have led the writer to wonder whether or not there could not be found among the non-official class, a Republican who would be able to preside over the deliberations of the coming State convention, and whether or not such a person would be able to go as delegates at large to the national convention at Philadelphia, and not now drawing salary from the national or State government. It would seem that the devotee of our policy is toward centralization, and that "to him who hath, shall more be given."

After three hours meeting and listening to the discussion and no doubt similar meetings and discussions are being quietly held all over the State—the writer came to the conclusion that if he were making a president for the State convention he would select a Republican who has shown his faith by his works, and who is not now an office-holder or an office-seeker, and if he were selecting the delegates for the national convention he would confer that honor upon similar persons after first tendering the same to the defeated candidates for Governor at the State convention. The Republican party is certainly not so hard pressed for material for a permanent chairman or platform committee as to be compelled to literally thrust these honorable positions upon the chairman of the State central committee, the Governor of the State or our United States senators. Why should such men as Hon. Riley McKean, of Terre Haute; Hon. S. S. Taylor, of Fort Wayne; General William A. Ketcham, of Indianapolis and a host of

others be allowed to stand idly by while the committee works the people into factions, warring upon each other, and the whole convention off? Let the convention make its own organization, prepare its own platform and create its own representatives to the national convention, and the people will be better pleased.

Union City, Ind., April 18, 1900.

## SEMI-ANNUAL REPORT.

Indiana Reform School for Boys in First-Class Condition.

The superintendent of the Indiana Reform School for Boys filed his semi-annual report with the state treasurer yesterday.

The report is as follows: "Under the law one-half of the cost of keeping a boy at the Reform School is borne by the county sending such boy to the school. The annual expense for one boy amounts to \$120, of which the county pays \$60. The assessment against the counties of the State for the past six months amount to \$120,257. This amount is withheld by the state treasurer out of the semi-annual distribution to the counties. The six counties having the most boys are: Marion, 143; Vigo, 23; Elkhart, 21; Madison, 19; Howard, 17; Floyd, 14. The total number of boys for the six months was 628. The average attendance was 512. There were eighty-two counties represented by boys in the school."

The superintendent in addition reports the school to be in first-class condition. One case of scarlet fever is reported in the institution, which is said to have been contracted from a letter received by one of the inmates. The case has been quarantined.

## SIR KNIGHTS IN TOWN

AN IMPOSING PARADE THROUGH THE PRINCIPAL STREETS.

At the Masonic Hall Meeting Officers Are Elected—An Evening Programme.

The forty-sixth annual convocation of the Grand Commandery, Knights Templars, of Indiana opened yesterday at Masonic Hall after a parade in which commanderies from Kokomo, Lebanon, New Castle, Crawfordsville, Greensburg, Lafayette, Richmond, Shelbyville, Delphi, Evansville, Knightstown, Muncie, Marion, Franklin, Logansport, Frankfort, and Anderson participated.

In the parade there was an innovation in that the members of the various commanderies lined up on Washington street and before them the delegates of the Grand Commandery passed in review.

The line paraded the principal downtown streets and disbanded at Capitol avenue and Washington street, adjoining to Masonic Hall, where the exercises in convening the Grand Commandery were conducted by the Raper Commandery, of this city.

William E. Perryman, of Terre Haute, retiring grand commander, reviewed the work of the year and commented upon the death of sixty-one members of the commanderies within the State. Joseph W. Smith, of this city, grand treasurer, and William H. Smythe, of this city, grand recorder, submitted their reports, showing a prosperous condition of the order. The reports of other officers were followed by the election of officers.

## STANDING COMMITTEES.

The following special and standing committees were announced by the grand commander:

Credentialed—William H. Smythe, George R. Williams, C. H. Henry.

Visiting Sir Knights—Edwin D. Palmer, David L. Wilson and Edward W. Bowen.

Chartered and Dispensation—Samuel B. Sweet, S. Johnson, Walter M. Hindman, John E. Redmond and John H. Nicholas.

Take Pledge, Books and Papers—Jacob M. Chillas, Edward R. Prather and George E. Farrington.

Advancements and Appeals—Christian B. Stemen, Andrew H. Graham and R. Parks White.

Claims—Winfield T. Durbin, William Schoppenhorst and Arthur A. Morrand.

Correspondence—Nicholas R. Rucke, Walter O. Bragg and William N. Durbin.

Jurisprudence—Charles C. Cravens, Luther Short and Frank B. Thompson.

Inspection—Duncan T. Bacon, Henry H. Lancaster and Henry C. Cravens.

## THE OFFICERS.

The election of officers resulted as follows:

Grand Commander—Eugene W. Kelley, Muncie.

Deputy Grand Commander—Leonidas P. Newby, Knightstown.

Grand Generalissimo—Sidney W. Douglas, Evansville.

Grand Captain General—Frederick Glass, Madison.

Grand Senior Warden—Charles Goitra, Crawfordsville.

Grand Junior Warden—Nathan L. Agnew, Vespersville.

Grand Prelate—Aaron W. Hempleman, Richmond.

Grand Treasurer—Joseph W. Smith, Indianapolis.

Grand Recorder—William H. Smythe, Indianapolis.

Grand Standard Bearer—Oliver Gard, Franklin.

Grand Sword Bearer—Joseph Wilson, Washington.

Grand Warder—Vestal W. Woodward, Indianapolis.

The next convocation will be held at Muncie. After the election an adjournment was taken until 5 o'clock this morning. Two sessions will be held to-day.

During the evening the visiting Knights were entertained at Masonic Hall by the Raper Commandery of this city. A short programme preceded dancing. The first number of the stage specialties was by the "Fighting Crows," followed by Edna V. Smythe, son of William H. Smythe, grand recorder, in a few legitimate feats. The "Gypsy" dance was given by a considerable amusement and they were followed by Joe and Sadie Britton, who are well known in the city. The evening at the Park Light refreshments were also served.

## REPORTS OF OFFICERS.

The report of the grand treasurer, Joseph W. Smith, showed that the total receipts for the year last past were \$4,312 and the disbursements \$4,708.58, leaving a balance on hand of \$4,273.51, an excess over the balance in the treasury last year of \$14.2. Of the balance on hand one-half will be withdrawn to-day on vouchers issued to defray the expenses of the convocation.

The report of William H. Smythe, grand recorder, contained the following statistics:

Number of members Dec. 31, 1899..... 3,579

Number initiated in 1899..... 284

Number reinstated in 1899..... 18

Number affiliated in 1899..... 78

Total accessions in 1899..... 378

Total to be accounted for..... 3,957

Deductions—

Number died in 1899..... 61

Number dropped in 1899..... 14

Number suspended in 1899..... 32

Number expelled in 1899..... 5

Total deductions..... 292

Number of members Dec. 31, 1899..... 3,665

Number of members Dec. 31, 1899..... 3,579

Increase in 1899 over 1898..... 86

## Pictures Attract Attention.

The exhibit of pictures of Madonnas at St. Paul's parish house is attracting considerable attention and is proving quite a source of revenue for the church charity work. There are about 300 pictures, the work of about one hundred artists.

New Pictures, \$150 and up, at Wulschner's.

## THE MURPHY MEETINGS

ANOTHER ENTHUSIASTIC ONE HELD AT MERIDIAN-STREET CHURCH.

Rev. J. A. Milburn's Appeal for Total Abstinence—Singing and Signing and a General Glad Time.

Another rousing temperance meeting was held by Francis Murphy last night at the Meridian-street Church. Mr. Murphy was at his best, and his earnest appeals, fraught with love for his fellow-men, were not unheeded. The large choir sang "Onward, Christian Soldiers," "Rescue the Perishing" and "Throw Out the Life Line" with excellent effect. In addition to Francis Murphy's remarks there were short speeches by several others.

Rev. J. A. Milburn, pastor of the Second Presbyterian Church, made an impassioned appeal to the men of the audience to practice total abstinence. There was one young woman in the audience who was evidently impressed with the minister's remarks. At least she indicated her admiration for the speaker as she left the house. She was a pretty, stylishly dressed girl of about seventeen. "Oh," said she to her companion, a matronly appearing woman, "I could just hug Mr. Milburn to death. I think he is just the sweetest man."

Among others who spoke were Rev. Alexander Urquhart, pastor of the East Washington-street Presbyterian Church, and Rev. Mr. Jones, pastor of the Blackford-street M. E. church. Francis Murphy gave his usual entertaining talk. As the meeting was about closing a babe in the audience began to cry and its father arose with it in his arms and started to take it from the room. "Don't, dear; don't take the child out," said Mr. Murphy. "Bring it to me; let me hold it. I'm a great fellow for children."

Several people signed the pledge last night and there was general rejoicing. Meetings will be held to-night and to-morrow night, and the closing of the closing meeting in Tomlinson Hall having been abandoned, Saturday afternoon Mrs. Murphy will take the children to the church. Noon prayer meetings are given each day.

## GOVERNOR MOUNT'S POSITION.

Col. Wilson Talks in Relation to the Matter of Requisitions.

In speaking of Governor Mount's position relative to requisitions received from the State of Kentucky, Col. Charles Wilson, secretary to the Governor, said yesterday: "In the absence of the Governor, I am authorized to say that Governor Mount's position is exactly this: The disputed question as to who is the legally constituted Governor of Kentucky is now awaiting a decision of the Supreme Court of the United States. Until that decision is rendered the Governor of Indiana cannot constitutionally legally recognize Mr. Beckham as having competent authority to issue a requisition that is binding on this State."

## PETER LIEBER'S ILLNESS.

He Is Said to Be Very Low in Düsseldorf, Germany.

Mr. Richard Lieber has written from Germany to friends in this city that his uncle, Peter Lieber, is lying at the point of death, from a fatal illness. Mr. Peter Lieber is consul general to Düsseldorf, Germany. He is well known in Indianapolis as the founder of Lieber's brewery and is connected with several other enterprises. Mr. Lieber is also in Germany at the bedside of his father.

## Lost Three Fingers.

Homer Foster, living at 320 Harrison street, and employed at the Wulschner musical instrument factory at Capitol avenue and Pearl street, suffered the loss of three fingers yesterday afternoon by accidentally letting his hand come in contact with a rip saw. He was working at the time and some one saw the accident away from the machine for a moment. He was taken to the City Dispensary, where three of the fingers were taken off by Drs. Karchner and Berner.

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